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9	IN THE UNITED STATES DISTRICT COURT	
10	NORTHERN DISTRICT OF OKLAHOMA	
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12	United States of America,	No. 22-CR-115-JFH
13	Plaintiff,	100.22 010 110 0111
14	vs.	MOTION TO CONTINUE
15	Johnny Wesley Boyd Sparks,	SCHEDULING ORDER
16	Defendant	(First Request)
17		(= ==== 10 1 ===)
18	The Defendant, Johnny Spark, by and through his counsel of record Jeffrey	
19	A. Williams, Assistant Federal Defender, hereby moves this Court for an Order	
20	extending all Scheduling Order deadlines for sixty (60) days, stating in support as	
21	follows:	
22		signt to this motion
23	1. The government does not object to this motion.	
24	2. This case is set on this Court's January 17, 2023, trial docket. The	
25	Court has scheduled a Pre-Trial Conference for January 6, 2023.	
26	3. Mr. Sparks requests the Court continue all Scheduling Order dates for	
2.7	sixty (60) days. This would place the case on this Court's March trial docket.	

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- 4. Defense counsel for Mr. Sparks has received written discovery in this case.
- 5. The undersigned needs additional time to meet with Mr. Sparks and review the evidence with him, obtain additional disclosure from the government as may be determined necessary as the defense investigation proceeds, conduct further investigation and research regarding the allegations contained in the Indictment, and prepare adequately to defend the case at trial. Defense counsel's location outside the district, as well as the ongoing COVID-19 pandemic, impair defense counsel's ability to accomplish these tasks as efficiently and effectively as would otherwise be possible, and constitute additional grounds for the requested continuance.
 - 6. Mr. Sparks is in custody.
- 7. This Motion is made for the purposes of allowing the undersigned counsel from the District of Arizona sufficient time to properly prepare a defense, and for continuity of counsel for the Defendant. This Motion is not made for the purposes of delay.
- 8. Counsel and Mr. Sparks are in the process of executing a signed Waiver of Speedy Trial, which will be filed with the Court when received.

Excludable delay under 18 U.S.C. § 3161(h)(7)(B)(i) and (iv) may result from this motion or from an order based thereon.

Respectfully submitted: December 16, 2022.

JON M. SANDS Federal Public Defender

<u>s/Jeffrey A. Williams</u> JEFFREY A. WILLIAMS Assistant Federal Public Defender